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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 09812.0501-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Tomoyuki ASANO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2131  
)  
Application No.: 09/807,824 ) Examiner: Jackson, J.  
)  
Filed: April 18, 2001 ) Confirmation No.: 6164  
)  
For: INFORMATION TRANSMISSION )  
SYSTEM AND METHOD, DRIVE )  
DEVICE AND ACCESS METHOD, )  
INFORMATION RECORDING )  
MEDIUM, DEVICE AND METHOD )  
FOR PRODUCING RECORDING )  
MEDIUM )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of August 9, 2006. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

☒ Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$450.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	193	-	161	32	x \$ 50	\$ 1600
Indep.	8	-	8	0	x \$200	0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$360	0
Subtotal						\$ 1600
Reduction by ½ if small entity						-
TOTAL						\$ 1600

- ☒ A fee of \$1600.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ A fee of \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$2050.00 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: January 9, 2007

By: 

Michael R. Kelly  
Reg. No. 33,921